GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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LPG AGENCIES IN UTTAR PRADESH
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of LPG agencies functioning in Uttar Pradesh as on date particulary in Mohanlalganj district;

(b) the number of LPG connections released to them for distribution;

(c) the number of additional connections made available to consumers during the last three years; and

(d) the number of new LPG connections and new LPG agencies likely to be allotted in each district in next few year?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTYR OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) & (b): Presently, there are 715 LPG distributorships in operation in Uttar Pradesh with 5824171customer strength including one LPG distributorship in Mohanlalganj market in district Lucknow with customer strength of 4074.

(c): During the last three years, 1836058 new LPG connections wre released in Uttar Pradesh.

(d): 440 LPG distributorships have been included in the Marketing Plan 1996-98 for Uttar Pradesh. Instructions have been issued to Oil Companies to release 1 crore new connections during the current year for the country including for Uttar Pradesh and clear the waiting list upto 1.12.1999.